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FOR ACTING ASSISTANT SECRETARY BOWDLER

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, EC

SUBJ: TUNA BOAT SEIZURES: AMBASSADOR'S VISIT TO SALINAS

REF: STATE 025015 (NOTAL)

1. I HAD BEEN PLANNING TO GO PERSONALLY TO SALINAS BUT AT A TIME WHEN MY VISIT WOULD HAVE MOST IMPACT HERE RPT HERE. IN VIEW OF YOUR TELEGRAM, HOWEVER, I NOW PLAN TO GO THERE THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, ACCOMPANIED BY NAVATT RALPH AND CONGEN DEWITT. IN THE INTERIM, WE WILL BE REVIEWING SITUATION AND MEETING WITH MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICIALS TO URGE EXPEDITED ACTION ON THE APPEALS. I ALSO PLAN TO SEE FONMIN LUCIO PAREDES OR SUBSECRETARY VALDEZ TO DISCUSS THE STATUS OF THE SEIZURES, REPEAT OUR REQUEST THAT ACTION BE EXPEDITED, AND, IF THE OPPORTUNITY PRESENTS ITSELF, DISCUSS THE ENTIRE SITUATION INFORMALLY.

2. I WILL BE DELIBERATELY INFORMING GOE OFFICIALS OF MY VISIT TO SALINAS AND WOULD PREFER THAT NO PREMATURE PUBLICITY REGARDING IT EMANATE FROM WASHINGTON OR SAN DIEGO.

3. ADVISE IF THIS SCHEDULE AND SCENARIO DO NOT MEET YOUR REQUIREMENTS. BREWSTER

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